

Angels we have heard on high

Text: Nouveau Recueil de Cantiques, 1855

tr. anonymous, alt. Earl Marlatt, 1937

GLORIA 77.77 with refrain

Music: Traditional French carol, 1855

1 An - gels we have heard on high, sing - ing sweet - ly through the night,
2 Shep-herds, why this ju - bi-lee? Why these songs of hap - py cheer?
3 Come to Beth - le - hem and see him whose birth the an - gels sing.
4 See him in a man - ger laid whom the an - gels praise a - bove.

and the moun-tains in re - ply ech - o - ing their brave de - light.
What great bright-ness did you see? What glad tid - ings did you hear?
Come, a - dore on bend - ed knee Christ, the Lord, the new - born King.
Ma - ry, Jo - seph, lend your aid, while we raise our hearts in love.

Glo - - - - - ri-a in ex-cel-sis De - o,

glo - - - - - ri-a

in ex - cel - sis De - - - - - o.